

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

PITTSSTON.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Pittston, March 4.—The strife which has taken place in this city since last July between Vincent R. Dillon, the ex-Catholic lecturer, and Mayor Thomas Corcoran, continues to attract public attention. During the past week a number of arrests have been made and counter suits instituted. At the instance of Mr. Dillon, four Lithuanians were arrested, charged with aggravated assault and battery, disturbing a religious meeting and disorderly conduct on the street. The defendants were given hearings before Alexander Evans, of the Elkhorn Ward, and held under \$1,000 on the first two charges and for the latter.

The opposition had its turn, and sprung a surprise in the issue of warrants for the arrest of Dillon and his principal supporter, Rev. J. J. Kilpin Fletcher, pastor of the Broad Street Presbyterian church. The warrants were issued by Captain Mulderig of Inkerman, Jenkins township, the prosecutor being John Kavatskis, the first one of the four Lithuanians who were arrested a few days previous by Dillon. The warrants were served on Dillon at his boarding house in West Pittston last evening about 7 o'clock by Constable Mulvey, of Wilkes-Barre. Dillon was marched to the "square's" office, which is located two miles from this city. He was charged with inciting the riot, which took place in both of South Main and High Streets, and with disorderly conduct. He waived a hearing on the first charge, and on the second was given a hearing and fined \$10 and the costs, a total of \$16.66. Attorney H. J. Mahon appeared for the defendant. About 10:45 o'clock Attorney Hibbs and Representative E. A. Coray appeared on the scene. Mr. Hibbs paid the fine and Mr. Coray went on the defendant's bail piece in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at court. Mr. Fletcher, the other defendant, will be given a hearing Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Fernwood colliery of the Erie company, which was idle Friday because the employees refused to work, claiming they had not received the amount of pay expected, resumed work yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Leighton, of Ohio, who have been visiting the former's mother here for the past few weeks, are spending a few days at Olympia prior to returning to their home.

Edward L. Reynolds, of Pittston, and Mrs. Mary Reese, of West Pittston, were united in marriage last evening at the parsonage of the Welsh Congregational church, by the pastor, Rev. D. M. George. The wedding couple were unattended. Their honeymoon will include a trip to Washington, after which they will be at home on Delaware avenue, West Pittston.

Recent deaths here were as follows:

Thomas Murray, aged 61 years, for many years a resident of Brownstown; funeral Monday morning. Mrs. Ann Walsh, of Upper Pittston, died on Friday evening, was tendered a party in the form of a surprise. The usual pleasures were indulged in and several solos and duets were rendered, after which refreshments were served. The guests present were: Misses Emma Brown, Maggie Williams, Josephine Stull, Nettie Worts, Martha Bushnell, Hannah Herring, Harriet Bonnard, Jessie Harrison, Emily Gray, Annie Bowlands, Leah Jones, Jessie Hines; Messrs. Fred Herring, George Herring, Frank Hughes, George Hughes, William Beynon, Robert Kerr, Lorenz Harrison, Herbert Harrison, George Harrison, Frank Worts, William Worts, William Price, Oscar Husted, W. Wickizer, Harry Gregory, Ernest Bellas, G. Hushopeck, Edward Jones.

Yesterday afternoon all that was mortal of Miss Margaret Frie was laid to rest in Langcliffe cemetery. The services were attended by people of all denominations who had assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to the one who had been loved for her humility and gentleness. After prayer by

Rev. R. M. Pascoe, Miss Mary McCrindle beautifully sang "Faithful Servant, Well Done." "Remember Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth," was the theme of Rev. D. T. Smith's sermon. Under the circumstances, when the youth of the town was represented, it was better suited to such an advancement and his audience yesterday was masterfully given and apparently left an indelible impression on all who had the pleasure of hearing him. The remains repose in a handsome steel casket. The features were beautiful and composed, and bore little traces of the sufferings she endured. As the people filed past the casket, the choir sang "Rock of Ages."

The floral offerings occupied a considerable space on the right of the pulpit. There were mementoes from: "Gates Ajar," brothers and sisters; broken harp, Sunday school class; carnations, Lena and Margaret Remmenn; pink roses, Rachel Davis, Little Borthwick; Sarah Danke, Frances Miller; broken wheel, Margaret Buckley; Nellie Dougherty, Mary Peter; Edward McQueen, Martin Buckley, Michael Carroll, Owen Callahan; red roses, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen; Scranton; pink roses, W. J. Remmenn; pink carnations, Margaret Aikman; Mabel Nelson, Margaret Warren, Velma Sanders, Margaret Morton; carnations, Margaret and Mary McQueen; calla lillies, Thomas Davis; canna lilies, Mrs. Edward Laird; Mrs. William Lien, also flowers.

Mrs. James Brown, carnations, Mrs. George Kirk. The pall bearers were George Newlin, Hugh Graham, Peter and Edward McQueen, Robert Campbell, John Connor. The flowers were carried by Thomas Nealon, Thomas Davis, Michael Carroll, Michael Buckley, James Donaldson, John Blagare, Hugh Conkey, Walter Weller.

The borough council will meet this evening to reorganize.

The school board will meet this evening. The ladies' Missionary society of the Langcliffe church will meet at the home of Mrs. Thomas Nelson, on Thursday afternoon.

Wiconisco tribe, No. 229, challenges any team in Luzerne or Lackawanna county working in the adoption de-grees. Address, William Jeffery.

Anne, the 8-year-old daughter of Samuel Atwell, died on Friday morning, after several months illness. The funeral will take place this afternoon. Interment will be in Langcliffe cemetery.

The directors of Saratoga Opera House will meet this evening. Mr. Grozengher will be present and discuss matters relative to the removal of the cotton mill.

DURYEA.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Duryea, March 3.—Another one of our fair maidens, Miss Lizzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, on Friday evening, was tendered a party in the form of a surprise. The usual pleasures were indulged in and several solos and duets were rendered, after which refreshments were served. The guests present were: Misses Emma Brown, Maggie Williams, Josephine Stull, Nettie Worts, Martha Bushnell, Hannah Herring, Harriet Bonnard, Jessie Harrison, Emily Gray, Annie Bowlands, Leah Jones, Jessie Hines; Messrs. Fred Herring, George Herring, Frank Hughes, George Hughes, William Beynon, Robert Kerr, Lorenz Harrison, Herbert Harrison, George Harrison, Frank Worts, William Worts, William Price, Oscar Husted, W. Wickizer, Harry Gregory, Ernest Bellas, G. Hushopeck, Edward Jones.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casey, of Grove street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

The drawing for the \$10 gold piece came off at the Lawrence Hotel Saturday evening. Number 54 was the lucky number, held by Hanss Daptock.

The parlor suit contest came off in favor of Mrs. Joseph MacCampbell, and Miss Lottie Carey was the winner of the gold watch contest.

Mrs. Alexander Rowland lost a gold ring at the recent Lawrence fair. The finder will be rewarded if they return the same to owner.

Mr. William Tinklebaugh is still confined to his house with illness.

Mrs. Thomas Cox and son, Laben, Mrs. James Bolles and son, Charles, attended the performance entitled "Uncle Tom's Cabin," at the Lyceum in Scranton Saturday.

W. H. Evans, of Scranton, visited at the home of Mrs. John Dills, Sunday.

Frank Hazel, of Scranton, visited at the home of Miss Little Carey, recently.

Rev. H. A. Greene is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

FACTORYVILLE.

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Factoryville, March 3.—Mr. H. O. Camp, of Monroe, was calling on friends here last Monday.

The First Baptist church's reception of the Lenten season was a grand success, socially and financially, about \$120 being realized, and was an evidence of the earnestness of Rev. G. R. Smith and family in their many friends in this place.

The intermediate session of the Lackawanna and Wyoming Mutual Alliance will commence at the First Baptist church, of this place, next Tuesday morning, March 5, and will continue through Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, closing, as usual, on Friday evening, with a grand concert. A special invitation is extended to all who are interested in musical progress to be present.

Mrs. Samuel Bailey left Thursday for Bridgeport, Conn., where she will join her husband, who has accepted a position there and where they will make their future home.

Attorney W. E. Little, of Tunkhannock, returned from Harrisburg on Tuesday, with the cash to pay the bill incurred by the Timny-Squier election contest, the legislature having made the necessary appropriation to meet the same.

Mr. P. H. Chase, Mrs. D. G. Ross, Mrs. C. H. Mathewson and Miss Agnes Peacock went over to Mohegan Wednesday to attend the mid-year convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Wyoming county.

The official board of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet at the parsonage Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Miss Gertrude Northrop is spending the week with friends in Clark's Green.

There will be a temperance meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Annette R. Bush, who has been spending the winter at St. Agatha, Canada, for the benefit of her health, did not find that climate as beneficial as was expected, and returned home last Wednesday. She will remain here a few days, when she will be accompanied by her mother, return to Granenburg, Canada.

Mr. Hallieck Reynolds, who has been spending some time here with his parents, will return to New York today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Read and Myron Cobb comprise a delegation from this place who comprise a delegation from this place who are in Washington attending the inauguration ceremonies.

HAWLEY.

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Hawley, March 2.—Miss Mamie Bashomon spent last Sunday with friends in Honesdale.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a meeting at the home of Mrs. F. L. Tuttle Wednesday afternoon.

Nathaniel Tanner, an employee of Wad & Murphy, had his leg broken while climbing logs last week.

Mrs. Elmer Beardsley went to Bradford county last Tuesday on account of the illness of her brother at that place.

A large house greeted the Amato-Dramatic company of the Elkhorn League on Wednesday evening, when they presented "The Wanderer's Return."

"It is a mystery to me how Marks' Blue can

keep up so long," said the leading lady.

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